(b) whether Government have taken any steps to repair or replace these tubewells; and

(c) what instructions have been issued to the State Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) No, Sir. Only 74 out of 472 tubewells in the tribal areas are out of order.

(b) and (c) Orissa Government is taking necessary steps to repair the defective tubewells.

Heroin seized in Paharganj, Delhi

3581. SHRI MUKHTIAR SINGH MALIK: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the press report which appeared in the "Hindustan Times" of the 21st February, 1989 to the effect that heroin worth Rs 70 lakhs was seized from a Nigerian near PPaharganj on 20th February, 1989;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether any arrest has been made in this regard; and

(d) if so, whether any inquiry has since been conducted in the matter and if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM) (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d) Heroin worth Rs. 70 lakhs in the international market was seized from a Nigerian national on 19.2.89. He was arrested and a case under Section 21 N.D.P.S. Act was registered against him. He was later remanded to Judicial custody.

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3582. SHRI BIR BHADRA PRATAP SINGH: Will the Minister of LAW AND JUSTICE be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of sanctioned posts in Delhi Judicial Service;

(b) the number of posts lying vacant at present;

(c) the reasons for not filling up the vacancies;

(d) whsether there is any proposal to create some more posts on account of volume of pending litigations;

(e) when the last examination for Delhi Judicial Service was held and for how many posts; and

(f) when the next examination for filling up the vacancies of Judicial Officers is proposed to be held and for how many vacancies?

THE MINISTER OF LAW AND JUSTICE AND THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) 133

(b) 36

(c) 33 being vacancies against those temporarily promoted or gone on deputation but holding lien cannot be filled up for want of a suitable provision in the Rules.

(d) Yes, Sir.

(e) The last examination for recruitment to the Delhi Judicial Service was held in October, 1984, for 12 permanent and 25 temporary posts.

(f) No date for the next examination has been decided upon